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motion as it is a matter of recent occurrence. That would be more serious and I did not want it. Therefore, I brought the matter to your notice. Of course I regret it very much. If a statement is made that what was said was on the spur of the moment, I am prepared to accept it.

President.—Can you bring adjournment motions on the rulings of the Chair?

The Cochin Chief Court Regulation Amendment Bill.

President.—Mr. M. K. Raman will ask for leave to introduce his Bill to amend the Cochin Chief Court Regulation.

Mr. M. K. Raman.—I request leave of this House for introducing a Bill to amend the Cochin Chief Court Regulation.

President.—I believe there is no opposition.

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar.—If there is no opposition it may be taken to have been granted.

Mr. A. B. Salem.—It has to be formally put, Sir.

President.—Every motion must have the consent of the Council.

(Question put and agreed to, the Government remaining neutral.)

The Cochin Nayar Regulation Amendment Bill.

President.—The next item in the agenda is Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar's Bill to amend the Cochin Nayar Regulation.

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar.—Sir, I beg leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Cochin Nayar Regulation.

Leave was granted.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar's. Marumakkathayam Bill.

President.—The next Bill stands in the name of Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Sir, I beg leave to introduce the Cochin Marumakkathayam Bill.

President.—Is this Bill different from the Bill just introduced by Mr. Kannan Nayar?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar. There is some slight difference.

(Leave was granted.)

The Cochin Code of Criminal Procedure Amendment Bill.

President.—The next Bill is Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja's Bill to amend the Cochin Code of Criminal Procedure. The Member is absent. He will have to bring in a fresh motion.

Resolutions on matters of General Public Interest.

23. *Drinking water to certain villages.*

President.—We shall now deal with resolutions. We have to resume our discussion on resolution No. 23 standing in